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LITTLE ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

V. Castiglione was out from Calgary over the week end, but returned to the hospital on Monday.

D. Stacy is back in Carbon again after spending the past few months at Claresholm.

J. R. E. Coburn is having an auction sale of his household effects next Saturday, Feb. 25th.

Miss Ethel Pimm left last Friday to spend a few weeks in Edmonton.

G. G. Peters returned on Friday last from Calgary.

There will be a school fair meeting next Saturday afternoon, Feb. 25, at 4 p.m. Attendances from outside school districts are specially requested. Please make it a point to have your school representatives present.

The U. F. W. A. held a successful oyster supper and dance in the Gamble School House last Friday night, with a good attendance from all parts of the district.

Dancing was commenced about 9 p.m. with Barr's Orchestra playing the music, and at midnight a sumptuous oyster supper was served those present.

Mrs. J. O'Rourke was a Calgary visitor last week, going in last Thursday.

Edgar Anderson returned Friday from Calgary, where he was visiting with his brother, Noel, who is confined to the General hospital with a broken leg.

S. N. Wright was successful in winning the curling rocks; which were raffled off by the Carbon Curling Club for the sum of \$30.

J. A. Toombs and J. H. Smith went into Calgary on Tuesday and they have secured the Dodge Car agency for this district. They expect to be out today with a new Dodge 4, and we are all looking forward to seeing a new snappy model.

Dick Garret returned on Wednesday after spending the winter at the coast.

Miss Lucy Ruff left on Saturday for Rochester, where she will receive facial treatment.

S. N. Wright will conduct Auction sales as follows: For J. R. E. Coburn on Saturday Feb. 25. For A. Reid on Thursday, March 1, and for W. Mancel on Friday, March 2.

ROYAL SCARLET CHAPTER L.O.L. 3013 FORMED, HESKETH

On Thursday night Feb. 16, 1928 after much difficulty in getting here on account of the roads, Bro. Robt. H. White, Field Secretary for our Association arrived and instituted the highest degree of the Orange Association namely the Royal Scarlet Chapter. The night was very dark and the roads were neither fit for sleigh or car, but the true spirit of the brethren was shown in the honest efforts of all being here who promised to take the Degree, some riding eight miles on horse back so that they would be able to attend.

The following were elected to office: Sir Knight Worshipful Commander, G. R. Sterling. Sir Knight Deputy Commander, Geo. Lobbon. Sir Knight Companion Chaplain, H. S. Dewar. Sir Knight Companion Scribe, M. R. Ashton. Sir Knight Companion Treasure, M. G. Sember. Sir Knight Companion Marshal, C. Cave. Sir Knight Companion First Conductor, H. Cleaver. Sir Knight Companion Second Conductor, A. W. Rawlings. Sir Knight Companion First Lecturer, J. Ridgewell. Sir Knight Companion Second Lecturer, J. Chittick.

Trusting that the Grand Master of the Universe will guide and direct these Companions in making this chapter worthy of what it teaches.

TO INVESTIGATE NEW BASIS FOR GRADING OF WHEAT

A prolonged and convicting appeal to Parliament for a thorough investigation into the whole system of grading and inspection of wheat, made by the Western Farmer members, was carried when John Millars motion asking that protein should be a determining factor in grading, was sent to the agricultural committee for further action. J. Gordon Ross, Moose Jaw, argued that grading should be based first on the amount and quality of protein and second on the amount of moisture. Allowance was made for 14.4% of moisture, he said, but the grower should be penalised on the actual amount in his grain. "That is the actual cost of drying that grain under proper conditions, for when tough or damp grain is so dried the milling value is not affected in any particular way, sometimes improved." Then he made the startling statement that in his belief no grain was dried in this country until the close of navigation.

CURLING CLUB IS TO HOLD DANCE

With only a fair representative of the members of the Carbon Curling Club present, a meeting was held in the waiting room of the rink on Thursday night, president J. R. E. Coburn occupying the chair. Sec. Treas. R. J. Fairbairn read the minutes of the previous meeting and also reported on the financial position of the Club, a balance of over \$120 being shown in the bank to date, with all accounts paid and outstanding accounts of \$25 still owing on membership fees.

The dance committee reported on having engaged the hall for a Leap Year dance, which will be held on Wednesday evening, Feb. 29. As this dance will be practically the last means of the Club this season, in which to raise funds to carry on with the shingling of the rink, all members and those interested in curling and skating are urged to be present, and they will be assured of a real good time.

Discussion arose on the possibilities of a local bonspiel in order to stir up enthusiasm in the club and the matter was left in the hands of a committee with the intention of going ahead with the project, if ice permits curling.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Govin of Rosebud, on Feb. 21, 1928, a daughter.

Capt. S. N. Dancey will speak to the people of Carbon in the Farmers' Exchange Hall on Wednesday, Feb. 29th. By special request, he is going to tell the story of his experiences in the war and those who have heard this story report that it is the best kind of entertainment, full of humour as well as instructive.

E. J. Garland of Bow River interrupted the speaker to say that: "The statement is one of terrific importance to grain growers," and that if it could be substantiated it would be of immense service to our country. Mr. Ross promised to ask the Minister of Trade and commerce for a return of all cars actually dried, and explained that elevator men had advised him that in many private terminal elevators the driers are never used, "being put there simply as a bluff."

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The development and growth of Canada politically, economically, in commerce and finance, in production from its natural resources of the field, the forest, the mine, and the waters of the Dominion has, during the first sixty years of Confederation, been most gratifying. This is now fairly generally recognized. It is also the general belief that Canada is just entering upon a still greater era of expansion and development in many directions leading to a greater growth and larger prosperity.

The question, however, which, to an increasing extent, is calling for serious consideration is: What policies should be adopted and steps taken to insure that this future development shall proceed along lines that will result in building up a strong nation, and in such a way that maximum benefits from such development shall accrue to the whole people of the Dominion?

During the pioneer stage in any country's development it is inevitable that its people devote their energies largely to the production of primary articles, largely raw materials. But with increase in population, the provision of adequate means of transportation, and the accumulation of wealth, a country should move forward in the work of not only producing such raw materials in increasing quantities but in utilizing them in the manufacture of finished articles.

It is important that crude methods in production of raw materials be discarded for those best calculated to give larger quantities, better qualities, and at lower costs; that all possible waste be eliminated; that as many by-products as possible be reclaimed, and that use be made of low-grade and off-grade materials. It is perhaps of even greater importance to ascertain the nature of pests and other agencies which now operate to destroy our raw materials at their source, and to discover effective means for their eradication.

The discovery of all these things can best be brought about through the painstaking effort of the expert in scientific research. Such work may require years of study, investigation and experiment. In many, perhaps most, cases it will call for laboratory and other expensive equipment. In the past Canadians have not fully appreciated the importance of such work, and as a consequence have not been prepared to provide the necessary public funds to carry it on. As a people we have been so busy attending to our own particular problems, and demanding immediate solutions of them, that we have been impatient of ideas based on long and expensive scientific research. As a result, Canada today lags behind other nations in this respect, nations which have not nearly the wealth of natural resources calling for development which Canada possesses.

It is, therefore, highly gratifying to learn of the action of the House of Commons in unanimously adopting a resolution favoring the establishment of a National Research Institute by the Dominion Government, and of announcement by the Government of its intention to proceed with the erection of the first wing of a National Research Institute building on a ten acre plot at the central experimental farm at Ottawa.

Last year, it is stated, Canada spent \$250,000 for research as compared with \$50,000,000 by the United States, and \$25,000,000 by Great Britain. This year the Government will, on the recommendation of the Research Council, increase the vote for research work to \$750,000, and the Minister estimated that three million dollars would be required during the next five or ten years to construct and develop laboratories.

In this way the splendid work initiated by many of our Canadian universities, assisted by private capital, will be supplemented, and the whole work of research in Canada co-ordinated and developed. When it is realized that Canada is estimated to be losing at least twenty million dollars a year through grain rust alone, the possibilities of gigantic gain through research work can be grasped. A few millions a year spent in research work may easily mean a gain of ten times as many millions through discoveries made.

How She Saved

A poor blind woman in Ireland put ten shillings into a plate at a missionary meeting. "You cannot afford so much," said one. "Yes, I can," she answered. On being pressed to explain, she said, "I am blind, and I asked my neighbor how much money he spent for oil in his lamps in a year. He replied 'Ten Shillings.' So I found that I have saved so much because I am blind, and do not need a lamp and I give it to shed light to heathen lands."

A Courteous Hint

Michael Arlen is the hero of the following story. Some time ago he was invited to spend four days at a beautiful old-world castle in the south of England. Mr. Arlen was so charmed with the place that he remained for a week. One morning the butler presented himself with—"s compliments, sir, and would you like a book?" The novelist promptly replied that he would. The book arrived with almost equal promptitude. It was a railway time table!



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Discuss Coal Subsidy

Subsidy To Railways For Transporting Alberta Coal Should Come From Dominion Government

Any subsidy to the railways for transporting Alberta coal to Ontario should come from the Dominion Government and not from Ontario, said Premier G. H. Ferguson in the Ontario legislature, in reply to a question of J. G. Lethbridge, Progressive leader.

Mr. Lethbridge asked what the attitude of the government was in view of recent suggestions made in the press. Mr. Ferguson pointed out that the railways wanted \$9 a ton whereas the actual cost as determined by the railway board was \$7. The real cost, he thought, was nearer \$6.75. There was a suggestion, said the premier, that if the Dominion Government would contribute a subsidy of \$1 a ton, the province of Ontario and Quebec should join in providing another dollar.

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It should be borne in mind that pale, bloodless girls need plenty of nourishment, plenty of sleep and regular out-of-doors exercise. But a lack of appetite and tired, aching limbs tend to hinder progress. To save the weak, thin-blooded sufferer, she must have new, rich blood, and nothing meets a case of this kind so well as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills not only enrich and increase the blood supply, they help the appetite and aid digestion, relieve the weary back and limbs, thus bringing new health and strength and transforming anaemic girls and women into cheerful, happy people.

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Every weak girl should promptly follow the example of Miss Stoddart, feeling sure that the pills will renew her health. You can get the pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

LAMB MENAGERE (Thrifty Housewife's Lamb Ramekins)

- 1/2 cup sweetened condensed milk.
- 2 cups cold lamb, minced.
- 1 teaspoon salt (scant).
- 1/2 teaspoon white pepper.
- 2 tablespoons chopped green peppers.
- 1 tablespoon chopped onions.
- 2 tablespoons hot water.
- 2 tablespoons bread crumbs.
- 1 tablespoon butter.

Mix sweetened condensed milk with water and stir into minced lamb. Add salt, pepper, chopped onion and green peppers. Put into buttered ramekins. Melt butter; mix with bread crumbs and sprinkle over meat. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees Fahrenheit) for about 20 minutes, or until well browned.

CUSTARD SOUFFLE

- 3 tablespoons butter.
- 1/2 cup flour.
- 1/4 cup sugar.
- 1 cup scalded milk.
- 4 eggs.
- 1/2 teaspoon salt.

Melt butter, add flour, and gradually hot milk. Bring to boiling point and pour on to yolks of eggs beaten until thick and lemon-colored, mixed with sugar and salt. Cool. Fold in whites of eggs beaten stiff. Turn into buttered dish, and bake from 30 to 35 minutes in slow oven. Take from oven and serve at once. Serve with hard sauce, whipped or plain cream.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

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Repairs destined to prop up the famous Leaning Tower of Pisa will be undertaken shortly under the supervision of the Ministry of Education and Fine Arts.

Commander C. T. Beard, R.C.N., will command the Champlain, and Lieut.-Commander R. I. Agnew, R.C.N., the Vancouver, the two new Canadian cruisers.

The population of British Columbia in 1926 was estimated at 568,000, according to the annual report of vital statistics for that year, tabled in the Legislature.

The Moscow municipal council and other authorities are considering the launching of a "bicycle loan." The proceeds would provide large masses of Soviet citizens with reasonably priced home made bicycles.

Japanese to the number of 475 were admitted to Canada during the fiscal year 1926-27. Of this number 115 were adult males, 250 adult females, and 110 children under 18. This information was given in answer to a question in the House of Commons.

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Bug will fight bug this season to protect the Okanagan fruit crop from destruction. Counter-parasites are being imported into the orchard regions in a campaign to decimate the codling moth and earwig.

The counter-parasites, according to E. R. Buckle, provincial entomologist at Vernon, will be obtained from Wenatchee, Wash., the United States government having offered to cooperate fully with the British Columbia authorities. Parasites inimical to the codling moth and earwig have done effective work in the past, although they have to be handled with a great deal more care because of the danger of introducing secondary pests with them.

Unless the codling moth is suppressed, growers fear that it may bring about destruction as extensive as in the state of Washington, where losses due to the activity of this pest were \$5,000,000 in 1926. Eight hundred carloads of apples were classified as culls in the Yakima district for same reason.

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"The fact remains that operative treatment for cancer has been practised from time immemorial and from my knowledge of the disease I affirm that the knife has never cured cancer in a single instance; but, on the contrary, has only succeeded in aggravating the disease and adding to the sufferings of the poor patient; and also shortening his or her life, which latter, perhaps, might be looked upon as a godsend in the circumstances."

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FEBRUARY 26

OTHER MIGHTY WORKS OF JESUS

Golden Text: "Thy faith had made thee whole."—Mark 5:34.
Lesson: Mark 5:22-43.
Devotional Reading: Ephesians 3:14-21.

Explanations and Comments

I. The Triumph Of Love Over Pride, verses 22, 23.—When Jesus reached the western shore of the lake, after the events of our last lesson, Jairus, a ruler of the synagogue (perhaps of the one which had been built by the centurion of Luke 7:5) came to him and fell at his feet in supplication. "My little daughter (an only child, Luke 8:42), is at the point of death; I pray Thee, that Thou come and lay Thy hands on her, that she may be made whole, and live." The ruler was a proud Pharisee, and we have seen how bitterly hostile to Jesus the majority of the Pharisees had become by this time. No thought of what others said about Jesus deterred Jairus from seeking Him, and no thought of his own station held him back from throwing himself in an attitude of worship at the feet of the Rabbi. There was no act of homage he would not render if only his beloved child might be restored to him.

II. The Triumph Of Faith, verses 24-34.—Jesus assented to the ruler's urgent request, and was on His way with him to his home, followed by a great crowd of people, when an interruption came. There was a woman in the throng who had been ill for twelve years and had spent all her money on physicians, under whose treatment she had suffered much, but had grown worse rather than better. This recalls the ancient Jewish saying that "Even the best of doctors deserves Gehenna." This woman pushed herself forward and touched the garment of Jesus in the belief that the touch would cure her.

"If I touch but his garments, I shall be made whole," the woman said to herself. "Daughter, thy faith hath made thee whole; go in peace, and be whole of thy plague," were the comforting words the woman heard.

While Jesus was speaking with the woman, there came a messenger from the ruler's house who said to the ruler, "Thy daughter is dead; why troublest thou the Teacher any further?" "Fear not, only believe," were the comforting words which Jesus addressed to the stricken father. Jesus then continued his way to the house of Jairus, but permitted no one to come with him save Peter, James and John, the three disciples who especially shared his confidence. On reaching the ruler's house they heard the tumult which was usual at such a time, the weeping and wailing of hired mourners. "Why make ye a tumult and weep?" Jesus said to them: "the child is not dead, but sleepeth." By these words Jesus did not deny that physical life had departed. The people in the house took the words of Jesus literally, and by their scornful laughter said that they knew she was really dead. Jesus put them all out of the room, allowing only his three disciples and the father and mother to remain. Then he took the child by the hand and said in Aramaic, Talitha, cumi, that is, "Damsel, I say unto thee, Arise." At once the twelve-year-old maiden arose and walked.

CREAM OF TOMATO SOUP

- 2½ cups canned or fresh cooked tomatoes.
- ½ small onion, sliced.
- 1 stalk celery, minced.
- 1 tablespoon minced parsley.
- ½ bay leaf.
- 2 whole cloves.
- 1 teaspoon salt.
- 1 teaspoon pepper.
- 1 teaspoon sugar.
- ¼ teaspoon soda.
- 2 tablespoons butter.
- 2 tablespoons flour.
- 1½ cups Borden's St. Charles Milk.
- 1½ cups water.

Add seasoning to tomatoes and simmer fifteen minutes, strain. Melt butter in saucepan, stir in flour. Dilute milk with water, pour slowly into butter and flour, stirring until it thickens. Continue to cook five minutes. Just before serving, add soda to tomatoes, gradually add tomatoes to white sauce, stirring constantly, serve immediately.

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CASTORIA

ALBERTA WILL REFUSE OFFER FOR RAILWAYS

Edmonton.—That the Province of Alberta should receive the replacement value of the Edmonton Dunvegan and British Columbia and Central Canada Railways was the declaration made by Premier Brownlee during his speech which dealt with the railway offers received by the Alberta Government in the Legislature. The Government's reply to the joint offer of the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railways would be: "We will not accept." The Government is prepared to await another joint offer from the railway companies or separate offers but in the meantime is prepared to go ahead and operate the lines, confident that the value of the Alberta railways can be demonstrated and satisfied that the replacement value eventually can be obtained.

"These Alberta railways are not on the auction block and in future we are not going to peddle them from place to place," said the Premier, "and the time is coming rapidly when our railways will be keenly desired by the great transcontinental lines."

The answer of the Government to the Canadian National's offer for the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway would be that this offer is not satisfactory.

Premier Brownlee sounded a rallying cry to the Boards of Trade, newspapers and all organizations in the province desirous of bringing about a successful solution of Alberta's railway problems to stand together and co-operate toward the desired end. He pointed to what Manitoba and Saskatchewan had done by united effort in achieving their goal in regard to the Hudson's Bay line, what British Columbia had done in regard to the P. and G.E. and what the Maritimes had been able to accomplish in Maritime rights, and asserted Alberta could bring about a satisfactory solution to the railway problem if all stood together.

Co-Operation Urged In Weed Control

Federal and Provincial Departments Should Work Together On Government Lands

Ottawa, Ont.—During the discussion of a vote in the House of Commons of \$375,000 for seed, feed and fertilizer control, G. G. Coote, U.F.A., Macleod, informed the Minister of Agriculture that in Western Canada there was quite a problem resulting from the growth of weeds on Government lands. He suggested that the minister might spend a little of the money of the appropriation in eliminating these noxious weeds from government property. The farmers themselves could not go on the Dominion lands in order to do this work.

Hon. R. R. Bennett, Opposition leader, said that Mr. Coote had raised a very important point. He urged the Department of Agriculture to endeavor to co-operate with the Provinces in such matters. The minister said that the question of overlapping the administration of such departments with provincial affairs was being eliminated. The minister told of the efforts being made to combat the weed problem. The vote then carried.

Heir To Asquith Title

London.—Earl of Oxford and Asquith's heir is 11-year-old Julian, Viscount Asquith, son of the former prime minister's eldest son, Raymond Asquith, who was killed in action while serving with the Grenadier Guards in the Great War.

Inquires About Russian Break

Ottawa.—Copies of all correspondence and other documents pertaining to the break of relations between Canada and Soviet Russia are requested in a motion placed on the order paper of the House by A. A. Heaps, Labor, Winnipeg North.

For the purpose of developing foreign markets for Indian goods, the Indian government is sending a trade commissioner to many parts of the world.

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Canadian Farmers In Edinburgh

Visitors From Canada Honored At a Dinner At Which Lord Elgin Was Present

Edinburgh.—Canadian farmers now touring Scotland were honored in a unique fashion at a dinner in Edinburgh at which Canadian National Railway officials were hosts, when a Scottish earl, grandson of a former Governor-General of Canada, sang a famous Scotch ditty to the immense delight of the Canadians. The earl was Lord Elgin, whose illustrious grandsire was stoned by the populace in an historic event in Montreal, and the present earl, recalling the incident, caused great amusement by declaring that among the prized mementos at Broomhall were two pieces of granite which had been thrown at the Governor-General.

At the conclusion of the earl's speech and song, the Canadians gave him three rousing cheers. The dinner was the occasion for gathering together some of the most brilliant of Scottish agriculturists. W. A. Wilson, agricultural representative for Canada in Britain, was chairman, and besides Lord Elgin there were present, Sir Robert Craig, president of the Scottish Board of Agriculture, and known as "the friend of Canada"; Dr. Crew, director of animal breeding, research department, Edinburgh University; Archibald Macneil, secretary of the Clydesdale Horse Society; John Stirton, secretary to the Highland Society; C. Weatherall, secretary Scottish Board of Agriculture; Professor Robert Wallace, Professor Ernest Shearer, head of the Faculty of Agriculture, Edinburgh University; Robert Park, owner of the famous Clyde horse, "Brunstone Agin"; John Geddie, Edinburgh historian; Dr. Savage, formerly of Winnipeg.

Passing Of a Great Statesman

Great Britain Mourns the Death Of Earl Of Oxford

Sutton Courtenay, Eng.—While eminent men and the press of Great Britain praised the Earl of Oxford's life of service and mourned his death, the body of the aged statesman, who died at his home here, was carried to the parish church of Sutton Courtenay.

Praise of the Earl of Oxford and Asquith as a great parliamentarian, a forceful, gracious debater and an unselfish servant of the nation's welfare is contained in thousands of messages of condolence published and received by his widow. All recall his activities in the early days of the war, when as Prime Minister, he breathed the British spirit of confident courage.

Many proudly remember his declaration in the face of Germany's seemingly irresistible advance when he said:

"We shall never sheath the sword which we have not lightly drawn until Belgium recovers in full measure all, and more than all, she has sacrificed; until France is adequately secured against the menace of aggression; until the rights of the smaller nations of Europe are placed upon an unassailable foundation, and until the military domination of Prussia is wholly and finally destroyed."

Range Horses Stolen

Believed That Gang Of Rustlers Have Been Operating In Alberta

Lethbridge, Alta.—Scores of range horses along the international border are missing and it is believed an organized gang of rustlers has rounded them up and made away with them.

Farmers anxious to get in their horses so they may be put on feed in preparation for spring work found the animals missing and the authorities investigating the losses are of the belief that the rustlers have driven the animals to the Blackfoot Indian Reserve, altered the brands and shipped the stock to Butte, Montana.

Woman Pastors Favored

Ottawa.—Approval of the general principle governing the ordination of women into the ministry was given by the Ottawa Presbytery of the United Church of Canada in session here. The Presbytery, however, decided that at the present time it was not expedient to introduce the matter for adoption by the general council.

Would Encourage Folk Songs



Miss Juliette Gaultier, descendant of a famous coureur du bois, says her Indian blood has made her sacrifice a successful career in grand opera for the mission of making Canada's native folk songs famous. She is a master of many Indian dialects and can sing in the Eskimo tongue.

English Appointment For Woman Barrister

Saskatchewan Graduate Made President Of Leeds Outlook Club

Regina.—Miss E. Hall, woman barrister, who graduated from the University of Saskatchewan as a Bachelor of Laws and was admitted to the Canadian Bar, is now at Leeds, England, and has been appointed secretary of the Outlook Club there. Miss Hall, a native of London, England, came to Canada in 1914 and after teaching school in this province for some time, took up law. Until she recently left for Leeds she practised law for three years in California. A report of her appointment by the Outlook Club appeared in the Yorkshire Weekly Post, January 21.

Seeking Altitude Record

British Plane Would Have To Ascend Eight Miles

London.—The Air Ministry soon will make an attempt to gain for Britain the air altitude record. A secret plane which was built for the attempt has been removed from Bristol, where the effort originally was to be made, to South Farnborough.

Air Service pilots will be at the controls. It is understood that an exceptionally small Bristol biplane will be used. To beat the present record it will be necessary for the plane to ascend about eight miles.



Moose Plentiful in Ontario

It is not an easy thing to shoot a moose but there are plenty of them in the Big Pogamasi district of Ontario which can be reached comfortably over the lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Bob Becker, the sporting editor of the Chicago Tribune, visited this district during the present winter and he was successful in accounting for a magnificent specimen of a bull moose.

"How these big boys are travelling," said the guide to Bob Becker the morning after he had arrived in the district. "Papa moose and all the

Suggests New Scheme To Secure Settlers

Sir Henry Thornton Advocates Higher Freight Rates To Obtain Funds

Toronto, Ont.—The raising of \$20,000,000 annually by increased freight rates on the part of both the Canadian National Railway and the Canadian Pacific Railway, to be administered solely in the prosecution of a vigorous immigration policy was a scheme which Sir Henry Thornton, chairman of the Canadian National Railways, outlined during a speech at a dinner of St. Andrew's Masonic Lodge here. Sir Henry stated that if freight rates were increased on an average of five per cent. it would yield to both the C.N.R. and the C.P.R. an additional \$20,000,000 each year. "If both railways joined hands in raising that fund for the encouragement of immigration," he declared, "we would make infinitely more progress in the future than in the past."

The speaker stated that there were 300,000 experienced farmers who would come to Canada, if they had partly prepared farms waiting them.

"We can bring these 300,000 experienced farmers here and other hundreds of thousands of boys and men from the motherland," he declared. "That represents the kind of thing on which we ought to spend our money."

Brings Canada Big Revenue

Dominion Exporting Annually Rubber Products Valued At Thirty Millions

Montreal.—Today Canada had become the fourth rubber manufacturing country of the world and was now exporting rubber products to the value of \$30,000,000 annually, though the raw product came from countries to which the Dominion was exporting the manufactured commodity, declared Hon. James Malcolm, minister of trade and commerce, in an address at the annual banquet of the Canadian Rubber Association here.

"The development of the rubber industry in Canada," the speaker continued, "is probably the best available illustration of the fact that where there is a need in a country for a commodity and therefore an extensive potential market, there the manufacture of that product will develop though it is necessary to transport the raw materials from the four corners of the globe."

Massey-Harris Buys U.S. Plant

Racine, Wis.—The J. I. Case Plow Works, one of Racine's pioneer industries and which since its inception in 1876 has developed into a million-dollar concern, was sold to the Massey-Harris Company, Ltd., Toronto, it was announced at the Case Company offices. No announcement of the consideration was given.

URGE PLAN TO CONVERT COAL INTO CRUDE OIL

Ottawa.—The House of Commons called upon the Government to consider the conversion of Canadian lignite and bituminous coal into crude oil. A motion of T. E. Kaiser (Conservative, Ontario), advocating steps with this in view was approved after brief debate.

Dr. Kaiser in presenting the motion urged the Government to have coal from Canada sent to Birmingham, England, and there tested as to its adaptability to the processes being used to convert coal into oil. He also wanted young Canadians to be sent abroad to study the latest developments in this work.

Speaking of scientific effort, Dr. Kaiser suggested that at the Gateway of the Prairies (Winnipeg), a monument should be erected to Dr. Saunders for his work in wheat to show the world that there were victories of peace greater than conquests of war.

He believed Canada was on the verge of a solution for the fuel problem by the conversion of lignite and bituminous coal.

A. W. Neill (Independent, Comox-Alberni), said many things could be done in chemistry but not always economically. He criticized the "mandatory character of the resolution," as it would involve the Government in very dangerous expenditures.

Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, declared he had had the privilege of making an investigation and study of the whole subject matter of the resolution while in Europe last summer. On one plant alone over 1,200 chemists were busily engaged at the time of his visit. There were great possibilities in at least three or four experiments now under way in Europe. It was his desire, said Mr. Stewart, to learn what actually could be done in the way of experiments and what could be done in a commercial way.

He would be pleased to have an appropriation provided in the estimates which would be used for the purpose of sending students abroad to make a scientific study of the treatment of coal.

"I want to see every avenue of research explored," commented Mr. Stewart, "but believe we should exercise some care that we do not have any overlapping."

Soldier Settlers' Lands

Re-Valuation Results In Many Reductions Being Granted

Ottawa.—Seven thousand eight hundred and eighty-six soldier settlers have applied for the re-valuation of their lands under the act passed at the last session of Parliament, it was shown in a return tabled in the House of Commons. Of these applications only 18 have been dealt with. These were in Saskatchewan and a reduction of twenty-two and a half per cent. was granted.

The annual report of the soldier land settlement board also tabled shows that since the inception of the scheme \$100,000,000 has been loaned to soldier settlers. The outstanding indebtedness of the settlers is \$78,000,000. The sum of \$18,000,000 has been repaid plus \$4,000,000 interest. One thousand and fifty soldier settlers have discharged their debts. Last year during the collection period ended June, 85.4 of the amount due was collected and the board reports that collections have shown a notable improvement.

Will Represent Canada

Lieut. Col. Vanier On Advisory Committee Of League

Geneva.—The League of Nations has been officially informed by the Ottawa Government that Lieut.-Col. G. P. Vanier will represent Canada on the permanent advisory committee of the League of Nations for military, naval, and air questions.

As a member of the council, Canada has the right to this representation of a committee which doubtless will play an important role in the forthcoming disarmament negotiations here.

Flying Comes Here To Stay And Conquest Of The Air Goes On Apace In Canada

Canadian fliers who may be anxious to attempt a transatlantic flight this summer will have much difficulty in securing permission from the federal government, because trans-oceanic hops are frowned upon in the Dominion on account of the aerial tragedies of 1927.

Legislation will be passed at the present session whereby licenses will have to be secured by pilots desiring to fly across the Atlantic. It will be extremely difficult to secure such a license.

Flying in the Dominion last year was more costly in dollars and in human life than ever before, no fewer than eleven pilots having been killed in flying accidents and yet no records were attempted or set by Canadians.

Flying has come to Canada to stay. It was born of the war when Col. William Avery Bishop, V.C., won every decoration possible for conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in shooting down seventy-two enemy planes.

In these days of peace the conquest of the air goes on apace in the Dominion. The young men who reaped the whirlwind in the war returned to Canada to earn their living as civilians. But the spirit of war work survived, and in a small but seasoned organization called the Royal Canadian Air Force the traditions of aerial navigation were carried on.

The young airmen, trained in war days, looked to the civil department of government for employment. They were needed and within two or three years of the close of the war many of them were in the Royal Canadian Air Force, detecting forest fires, locating smugglers on the boundaries, and mapping out by photography the vast area of the hinterlands.

Canada was quick to establish the necessary code of law for navigation of the air, and today the Dominion is safeguarded by a set of strict regulations governing the licensing of all mechanics, pilots, air harbors, international flying signals and the inspection of aircraft.

The most conspicuous work done during the recent crowded years of flying history has been the survey work in which Canada has led the world. Last year more than 400,000 square miles of Canadian territory were photographed and mapped with an accuracy which would have required years and millions of dollars if done in the old way.

Parliament acknowledged Canada's future in the air was assured by providing \$2,000,000 last year for air development. Cities are being encouraged to provide future air harbors, technical advisers from Great Britain have visited the Dominion to make recommendations for the future linking of the Empire by airways, and the postoffice department is taking the initial steps toward what will be an Atlantic-to-Pacific air route.

Passenger: "Porter, is this a through train?"
Porter: "Nawwah, she's just done commenced, sah!"

Palestine produced less than 800 tons of wool in the past year, and all of this is to be used in the making of carpets.



Emily, can you hear the murmur of our souls?"

"No. You are mistaken. It is my stomach. I have indigestion."—Flegende Blaetter, Munich.

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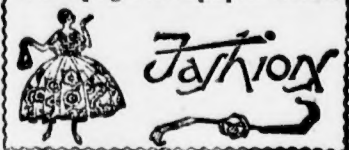
Fisheries Of Alberta

Smaller Catch Is Reported For 1927 Over Previous Year

The fisheries of Alberta were not so active last year as in 1926, when a catch of 7½ million pounds netted the fishermen \$749,000, an increase over 1925 of \$290,000. Estimates of the total 1927 catch are placed at about six million pounds, with prices running about the level of 1926. The Alberta fishing activity depends largely on the production of the Manitoba lakes. The chief markets for the fish are New York and Chicago, and the Manitoba fishing companies fill these needs. If the Manitoba catch falls off, greater activity is necessary in Alberta, but if the Manitoba fisheries are active, Alberta is left with a smaller demand to fill.

During the past year a whitefish hatchery was built on Lesser Slave Lake, which, with Lake Athabasca, are the chief sources of supply.

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Co-Operation Between Railways

Two Transcontinental Systems Will Stand Together In Promoting Welfare Of Dominion

Whole-hearted co-operation between the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Canadian National Railways is assured in everything that will make the greatness of Canada, E. W. Beatty, president of the C.P.R., and Sir Henry Thornton, president of the C.N.R., declared at Engineer's Club, Montreal.

The occasion was a presentation dinner to the staffs of both roads, who contributed to the success of the second (triennial) Empire Mining and Metallurgical congress, held last year in Canada.

"Something has been said of the co-operation between the two railways during the Mining congress," said Mr. Beatty, "and it has been talked of as though it was something to marvel about. It is not. In anything that is of common interest to the country and the railways you will, I think, be able to find the Canadian National and the Canadian Pacific Railways joining in support of that effort, whatever it may be."

On the question of co-operation, Sir Henry Thornton had the following to say: "Let me say that we in Canada are too few in numbers to quarrel, and too poor in capital to fight each other. The progress of our country will be best assured by the co-operation of all institutions within our bounds and by the joining of each section of our country in promoting the welfare of the Dominion. We shall stand shoulder to shoulder with the Canadian Pacific Railway in the protection that is necessary to preserve the revenues of our great transportation systems."

If Australia could be transplanted into the Atlantic Ocean, it would fill up all the space between the United States and Great Britain.

Canadian Sheep Breeders View The Future With The Utmost Confidence

Benefit Of Inoculation

Effect Of Inoculation Shown On the Yield Of Legume Crops

At several of the Experimental Farms in Canada tests have been made on the effect of inoculation on legume crop yield where legume bacteria were absent from the soil or present in insufficient numbers, and the results are summed up in a pamphlet on "Legume Inoculation" written by the Dominion Agricultural Bacteriologist. In some cases the increases in yield resulting from inoculation were comparatively slight, but in many instances they were strikingly large. At the Kapuskasing Experimental Station two years after seeding, the inoculated alfalfa seed produced 3 tons, 1,465 pounds of dry matter against 3 tons 967 pounds produced from untreated seed. Results at the Beaverlodge, Alberta, Station were much more striking. On areas clipped in the year of seeding on that station the aggregate crop of two years from inoculated red clover seed was 4,162 pounds per acre as compared with only 320 pounds from uninoculated seed. For alsike the comparison was 4,268 pounds with 640 pounds and for sweet clover 5,660 pounds with 1,520 pounds per acre. The pamphlet may be obtained from the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Lady (interviewing prospective help): I may tell you that we are vegetarians.

Girl (anxious to be engaged): I've attended that church all me life, mum.

With 120,000 more sheep in Canada than a year ago, George Gordon, of Oak Lake, Manitoba, president of the Canadian Sheep Breeders' Association, at the annual meeting in Toronto, viewed the future with every confidence for a greater increase in sheep population during the year. He spoke particularly of the conditions in Manitoba, where 40 years of wheat raising had resulted in very weedy land, which required the use of sheep to clean it up. For this reason, 120,000 sheep more than the present number could be successfully employed in Manitoba at this work. A committee had been appointed to interview the board of trade and the land and mortgage companies in Winnipeg with a view to soliciting their support to encourage the loaning of sheep on their farms to help clean the land. He outlined the good results of the four sheep sales in Manitoba. The districts in which they were held at one time supplied the worst grades of sheep to be found in the country. Now conditions were entirely changed and over one thousand sheep were to be seen offered for sale in one place. The highest price paid per pound for a lamb was 80 cents, and a Manitoba bred ram sold for \$200. The prize pen of 15 lambs sold for 39½ cents a pound and 200 grade ewes for \$13.50 each.

Mr. Gordon urged every sheep breeder to ship his wool to the Canadian Co-operative. It was very encouraging to hear the big sheep men from the ranches of Southern Alberta say that the rancher who had shipped his wool every year to this organization had done much better than the man who shipped one year and sold to the private trade the next. Sheep men should not hesitate to patronize their own organization when they know they do so much to find markets for our wool. He said that the last shipment of 250,000 pounds of wool to England meant a great deal in opening up new markets and advertising Canadian wool. Last season approximately 3,000,000 pounds of wool, worth in the neighborhood of one million dollars, was handled, and the prospects for 1928 prices were good.

Cecil Stobbs, of McCreary, stated that the Dominion Government has removed some of the restrictions for importation of sheep from the United States owing to the prevalence of the foot and mouth disease in England.

Reports submitted by the representatives from the several provinces were all of a gratifying character, particularly that from the Maritime, where a total of 29,292 lambs sold for a total of \$195,164. Pure bred ram lambs sold for \$20 to \$25; shearing pure bred for \$25 to \$35; ewes, \$20 to \$30 and grades from \$10 up.

The receipts for the year were \$21,270 and expenditure of \$15,100. There is a balance of \$6,170. The record of registration shows 14,269 sheep of which 5,377 are Shropshires, with 3,743 Oxford Downs as the next in popularity. The total membership is 1,174 of whom 499 are in Ontario, 335 in Quebec, 61 in Manitoba, 53 in Saskatchewan, 104 in Alberta, and 11 in the United States. Among the total importations during the year of 328, there were 135 Shropshires, 60 Suffolks, 10 South Downs, 59 Romney, 2 Cheviots, 13 Black Face, 8 Leicester, 10 Rambouillet, 14 Merion.

The following officers were elected: President, Victor Sylvester, Ste. Hyacinthe, Quebec; vice-president, John Wilson, Inuvial, Alberta; secretary-treasurer, R. W. Wade.

It was decided to hold the next meeting in Quebec.

Red Tape In France

A girl living in Epinal, France, has been refused a marriage license because she has never been officially born. She applied for a birth certificate, which is required before a marriage license can be issued, and the officials searched the records, but could find no trace of her birth having been entered. Her parents had apparently neglected to register her birth. She was informed that officially she was not born, and the wedding has had to be postponed.

"My Old Kentucky Home" was composed by Stephen C. Foster



Ten Thousand Snowshoers Meet

1.—Snowshoers in full costume. 2.—A little diversion—the bounce. 3.—Notre Dame Church at Montreal.

Around ten thousand snowshoers and their friends visited Montreal on the occasion of the 20th anniversary of the founding of the Canadian Snowshoers' Association, which was held in that city February 3-6. The convention takes on an international character by the fact that the American Snowshoers' Association, with over 1,500 members in the state of New Hampshire and Massachusetts, also attended the convention. In addition there were representatives from the Manitoba Snowshoers' Association and a large attendance from the St. Henri Canadian Club, which was celebrating at the same time its fiftieth anniversary, while unattached snowshoers from all parts of Canada and

the United States went to Montreal for the function.

The convention was held under the auspices of the United Snowshoers' Clubs of Montreal and was featured by a carnival, during which the grand snowshoe championship of the world was decided. His Worship Mayor Martin was the patron of the convention, and in its celebration a banquet was given at the City Hall, at which the snowshoers were the guests of the city, on Sunday evening, February 5.

A number of snowshoers travelled distances up to 300 miles on foot to Montreal, but the majority took advantage of the special facilities offered in excursions at reduced rates by the Canadian Pacific Railway.

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The Fall Of Trotsky

Faces the Cruel Punishment Of the Old Autocratic Government

There are many ironies in the exile of Trotsky to Siberia.

There is the irony that he who next only to Lenin, was the main creator of the Soviet regime, is now crushed and rejected by it.

There is the irony that he follows the way of the helpless Czar whom he sent to his death at Ekaterinburg.

There is the irony that, in facing Siberian exile, he faces the cruel punishment of the old autocratic government which every Russian liberal for a century has vowed to end.

And there is the final irony that the world at large will take from the exile of Trotsky all sorts of valuable lessons of the exact kind which neither he nor the Soviet tyrants will want it to take. — New York Post.

given for discontinuing the visits.

"Now, boys, said the barber, 'that's what might be called tact. He didn't tell us we had worn out our welcome—just intimated it. I kinda wish he had waited until we had finished that pie! Wild strawberry pie! I never thought anything could turn me from wild strawberry pie. That fellow is not such a fool, after all.'"

"Well, I am going," said the Englishman to Jim Simpson; "I am going today. My only regret is that I did not know sooner. Will you buy my horses—the whole outfit as it stands?"

"What did you do with your fine house and all that furniture?" asked Mr. Simpson, cautiously.

"Left it—left it—locked the door and came out. Gave one dog away—shot the others. I couldn't shoot old Cleo, I tried but I couldn't."

"Good Lord, man, you're crazy! Them were dandy dogs? What in thunder did you want to shoot them for—I thought you were a real dog man."

"No one will ever abuse my dogs. I wanted to be sure, that's why. I gave the Ransom's a horse, and they promised to care for Cleo as long as she lives. What will you give me for the horses? Be quick now!" He had no time to argue—he was going on the train that day.

"One hundred dollars for the whole thing," said one of the men.

"Very well," said the Englishman, "I'll take it. Be good to them."

He went to the boarding house for dinner, where he was the centre of curious eyes, for the story of his wild intention was known. When he had eaten a hasty meal he stood up suddenly and broke into speech.

"Boys, you are wrong," he began, in going on mining coal and thinking you do not need to hear the call your country has sent out. The British Empire is threatened, her enemies are at the gates. Belgium, a little country, has been violated. While you sit here, villages are burning, women are screaming—and the Germans are marching triumphantly on. Have you no pride, no manhood? . . . I know the Germans . . . they have been getting ready for years. Lord Roberts told the Empire to get ready—it was coming—but they went on like you—"business as usual!"

He paused here, overcome with emotion. One or two of the men laughed, the others regarded him stolidly. Crazy Englishman! Crazier than ever!

"Well, say, looka here," began Bill Larsen, "what are you gettin' so het up over, I'd like to know." Bill, although the proprietor of the "Grande Pacific," a hostel licensed to sell malt and spirituous liquor, and presumably a place of refreshment for man and beast, made no pretence of supplying meals even for himself, but took the monthly rate from Mrs. McMann. "What's bitin' you? Go yourself if you want to—who's holdin' you back?—but what's the call for abusin' us because we don't want to stand up and stop bullets. My old granddad fought in the American war, and he got his fill of it, I'll say!—lost an eye and a leg, and got four dollars a month of a pension from his grateful country! It don't look like a safe proposition. How do you know who's right? Your British Empire wasn't so darned right when she had the little run-in with the United States. How do you know she's right this time?"

(To Be Continued.)

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Members Of Parties Will Take Own Cars and Motor Through Europe

A friendlier feeling between Canadian, American and European motorists which, in turn, will be transmitted to a much wider circle of people on the two continents will, it is hoped, be engendered as a result of two personally conducted "goodwill" tours to Europe this summer organized by the White Star Line under the official auspices of the Montreal Motorists' League, it is stated in an official announcement by the White Star Line. A novel feature of the tours will be that those going to Europe with these parties will take their own cars and motor through Europe and Great Britain.

Wherever they go receptions will be arranged in the principal cities and it is anticipated that the Touring Club of France, and the Automobile Association of Great Britain, with which the Montreal Motorists' League is affiliated, will tender official receptions to the parties and, in this way play their part in promoting goodwill between Europe and the North American continent.

Already there have been inquiries from Winnipeg, Vancouver, Toronto, several cities in the province of Quebec, Ontario and Manitoba, and with the announcement of these tours in the United States it is expected that there will be a regular string of requests from American motorists.

One of the principal ideas underlying these parties is to persuade Canadian and American motorists, who already have much in common, to travel across the ocean together and, by personal contact with motorists in Great Britain and in Europe, build up a firmer feeling of friendship between the people on the two continents.

The first party, with their own cars, will sail from Montreal on the White Star liner "Megantic," on July 26, and return from Liverpool on the White Star liner "Calgarie," on August 31.

The second group will sail from Montreal on the White Star liner "Albion" on September 6, and return from Southampton on the same steamer on October 20.

Both these parties will follow practically the same itinerary, landing at Havre and motoring thence to Rouen, through the Canadian battlefields by way of Neuve Chappelle, Amiens, Doullens, Arras, Vimy Ridge, the Somme, Lille, Tournay, Mons, Cambrai, St. Quentin, Compiègne to Paris where several days will be spent, then by way of Chateau Thierry to Rheims, Verdun, Luxembourg and Treves, Cologne, Aix la Chappelle,

Brussels, Antwerp, Amsterdam, The Hague, Rotterdam, and then by steamer to Harwich from where the party will make a circular tour of England and Scotland.

Little Helps For This Week

"Forgive, if ye have ought against any, that your Father also which is in heaven may forgive you.—Mark xi. 25.

Gently I took that which ungently came. And without scorn forgave; do thou the same. A wrong done to thee think a cat's-eye spark. Thou would'st not see were not thine own heart dark.

—Samuel Taylor Coleridge.

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CHAPTER XIX.—Continued.

His house of branches was replaced by a little log shanty, with a home-made fireplace built of stones from the river, and into it he moved before winter. In the spring he returned to civilization with his season's catch of furs. After that his victory was assured, and if he had been more sociable and friendly he would have received the admiration of the settlement at Bannerman. As it was he did his trading almost silently, volunteering no explanation of his strange ways; and no man can gain the confidence of his fellow men unless he is willing to explain himself.

The year before the war, the Englishman had built a shingled bungalow, with glassed-in verandah, and hardwood floors. He had built-in cupboards and furnished it in such a manner that many a man living in the settlement was subject to drastic questioning by the wife of his bosom, who drew pointed comparisons between the house she was forced to live in and this one. Why was it that a crazy Englishman who lived alone but for his dogs, could afford such luxuries as these, while whole families were still living in congested quarters? Matters grew still more unpleasant when it was rumored that he was going to pipe the water from a lake in the mountains to his house.

The only explanation the harassed husbands could think of, and it did not entirely satisfy, was that the man must be receiving money from home. No man could do all this on his fur catches.

It was Bill Larsen, the Swede, who conceived the idea of visiting this new house, and to this end organized

a fishing party one Sunday morning in the spring of the year. English River abounded in mountain trout, and it was easy to get a party together to go out. They could ask permission to boil a kettle and in that way get in to see the house.

The party came back late that night registering complete success. He had not only asked them to come in, but had cooked a meal for them—roast chicken, canned figs for dessert, white cloth and everything.

"Did he ask you all to come again when you couldn't stay so long, or anything like that?" asked Jim Simpson, incredulously. Jim had opposed the fishing party.

"He doesn't need to ask us back when he fed us that well. We'll go all right—eh, boys?" replied Bill; "vittles like that speak for themselves—we're goin' next Sunday again. Gosh, Jim, you better come—he's tickled to see us, I believe. He's not quite all there—anyone can see that, he's so polite and ladylike—and we might as well punch a meal ticket on him as not."

The parties continued for several weeks, growing in number, and never did the hospitality fail. Fried lake trout, home-made bread and butter, eggs, and wild fruit were plentifully supplied and eagerly consumed.

"Gee! that fellow is easy," Bill Larsen was often heard to say; "he seems pleased to do it, and never seems to mind that none of us offers to help him clean up or anything. Well, some people like work, and I'm not the one to try to deny their fun. He don't even know when we're laughing at him!"

The next Sunday their host was as generous as ever, but when the meal was half over, apologized for his haste in clearing the table. Usually he waited until his guests were gone, but today he was going out and if they would be so kind as to excuse him he would proceed to wash up while they were eating their dessert, which on this day was wild strawberry pie. The visitors winked at each other behind his back. Think of any human being asking leave to wash his own dishes! "Oh, sure they would excuse him providing he didn't rattle the dishes too much and disturb the speakers." This was from the barber, who was the humorist of the party.

Even at that their host politely replied that he would be most careful. He then gathered up the plates and laid them in a row on the sun porch, his visitors watching him with interest. They were in radiant mood. This fellow grew funnier all the time. What funny work was he up to now?

The Englishman opened the verandah door and called. Four collie dogs came bounding in. He motioned to them to begin operations on the plates, which they did with eagerness. When they had made a thorough job of cleaning them he gathered up the plates deliberately and arranged them in one of his many cupboards.

"They save me a lot of work," he said, more to himself than to his guests, on whom a silence had fallen; "and they polish the plates very well indeed, and the pots and pans as well."

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